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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This Amendment and Response is submitted in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination. At this time Applicants respectfully submit that all claims stand in condition for allowance. Accordingly reconsideration and withdrawal of all previous rejections is requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: